

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE  
REQUEST FOR FILING NATIONAL PATENT APPLICATION

Under 35 USC 111(a) and Rule 53(b)

PATENT APPLICATION

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Sir:

Herewith is the PATENT APPLICATION of  
Inventor(s): Emeka J. Nchekwube et al.

Title HYPOESTOXIDES, DERIVATIVES AND AGONISTS  
THEREOF FOR USE IN THE TREATMENT AND  
PROPHYLAXIS OF HYPERLIPIDEMIA

Atty. Dkt.: 069081-0306235  
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including:

Date: October 28, 2003

1. Specification: 15 pages (only spec. and claims) 2. ☐ Specification in non-English language  
3. Declaration ☐ Original ☒ Facsimile/Copy ☒ Abstract 1 page(s); 15 numbered claims  
4. ☐ Drawings: sheet(s) ☐ informal; ☐ formal of size: ☐ A4 ☐ 11"  
5. ☒ See top first page re prior Provisional, National or International application(s). ("X" box only if info is there and do not complete corresponding item 6 or 7). (Prior M# SN )  
6. This application claims benefit of the following prior US application(s), the contents of which are incorporated into this application by this reference:

No. / filed  
No. / filed  
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No. PCT / filed , which

designated the US.

7. ☐ See the attached Preliminary Amendment, which amends the specification to claim benefit of the above listed US application(s)  
8. ☒ Attached is an assignment and cover sheet. Please return the recorded assignment to the undersigned.  
9. ☒ Assignee Paraquest, Inc.

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10. FOREIGN priority is claimed under 35 USC 119(a)-(d)/365(b) based on filing in

11. (country)

Application No.	Filing Date	Application No.	Filing Date
(1)		(2)	
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12. (No.) Certified copy (copies): ☐ attached; ☐ previously filed (date) in U.S. Application No. / filed on  
13. Small entity status → ☐ is not claimed; ☒ is claimed (Pre-filing confirmation required)  
13(a). ☐ Attached: (No.) Small Entity Statement(s) (since 9/8/00 small entity statement(s) not essential to make claim)  
13(b). ☐ See NONPUBLICATION REQUEST under Rule 213(a) attached (PAT-258)

14. DOMESTIC/INTERNATIONAL priority is claimed under 35 USC 119(e)/120/365(c) based on the following provisional, nonprovisional and/or PCT international application(s):

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15. ☐ This application is being filed under Rule 53(b)(2) since an inventor is named in the enclosed Declaration who was not named in the prior application.

16. ☐ Attached:

17. ☐ Preliminary Amendment:

**THE FOLLOWING FILING FEE IS BASED ON CLAIMS AS FILED LESS ANY ABOVE CANCELLED**

				Large/Small Entity		Fee Code
18. Basic-Filing Fee				\$770/\$385	\$385	1001/2001
19. Total Effective Claims	15	minus 20 =	*0	x \$18/\$9 =	+ 0	1202/2202
20. Independent Claims	2	minus 3 =	*0	x \$86/\$43 =	+ 0	1201/2201
*If answer is zero or less, enter "0"						
21. If any proper multiple dependent claim (ignore improper) is present, add (Leave this line blank if this is a reissue application)				+ \$290/\$145	+ 0	1203/2203
22.				<b>TOTAL FILING FEE =</b>	<b>\$385</b>	
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24. If "assignment" box 8 is X'd, add recording fee				+ \$40	+ 40	8021
25. <input type="checkbox"/> Attached is a Petition/Fee under Rule No.				+ \$130	+ 0	1808
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